

Senate File 598

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1 Amend Senate File 598 as follows:

2 1. By striking everything after the enacting clause and  
3 inserting:

4 <DIVISION I

5 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP

6 GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS

7 Section 1. GENERAL FUND — DEPARTMENT.

8 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
9 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the  
10 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022,  
11 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
12 used for the purposes designated:

13 For purposes of supporting the department, including its  
14 divisions, for administration, regulation, and programs; for  
15 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes; and  
16 for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:  
17 ..... \$ 18,538,199  
18 ..... FTEs 395.00

19 2. Of the amount appropriated in subsection 1, the following  
20 amount is transferred to Iowa state university of science and  
21 technology, to be used for the university's midwest grape and  
22 wine industry institute:

23 ..... \$ 288,000

24 3. The department shall submit a report each quarter of the  
25 fiscal year to the legislative services agency, the department  
26 of management, the members of the joint appropriations  
27 subcommittee on agriculture and natural resources, and the  
28 chairpersons and ranking members of the senate and house  
29 committees on appropriations. The report shall describe in  
30 detail the expenditure of moneys appropriated in this section  
31 to support the department's administration, regulation, and  
32 programs.

33 DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS

34 MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS

35 Sec. 2. UNCLAIMED PARI-MUTUEL WAGERING WINNINGS —

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1 HORSE AND DOG RACING. There is appropriated from the moneys  
2 available under [section 99D.13](#) to the department of agriculture  
3 and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1,  
4 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following amount, or so  
5 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes  
6 designated:

7 For purposes of supporting the department's administration  
8 and enforcement of horse and dog racing law pursuant to section  
9 99D.22, including for salaries, support, maintenance, and  
10 miscellaneous purposes:

11 ..... \$ 305,516

12 Sec. 3. RENEWABLE FUEL INFRASTRUCTURE FUND — MOTOR  
13 FUEL INSPECTION. There is appropriated from the renewable  
14 fuel infrastructure fund created in [section 159A.16](#) to the  
15 department of agriculture and land stewardship for the fiscal  
16 year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the  
17 following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
18 used for the purposes designated:

19 For purposes of the inspection of motor fuel, including  
20 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:

21 ..... \$ 500,000

22 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

23 GENERAL FUND

24 Sec. 4. DAIRY REGULATION.

25 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
26 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the  
27 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022,  
28 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
29 used for the purposes designated:

30 For purposes of performing functions pursuant to section  
31 192.109, including conducting a survey of grade "A" milk and  
32 certifying the results to the secretary of agriculture:

33 ..... \$ 189,196

34 2. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in  
35 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the

1 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain  
2 available to be used for the purposes designated until the  
3 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

4     Sec. 5. LOCAL FOOD AND FARM PROGRAM.

5     1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
6 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the  
7 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022,  
8 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
9 used for the purposes designated:

10     For purposes of supporting the local food and farm program  
11 pursuant to [chapter 267A](#):

12 ..... \$       75,000

13     2. The department shall enter into a cost-sharing agreement  
14 with Iowa state university of science and technology to support  
15 the local food and farm program coordinator position as part of  
16 the university's cooperative extension service in agriculture  
17 and home economics pursuant to [chapter 267A](#).

18     3. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in  
19 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the  
20 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain  
21 available to be used for the purposes designated until the  
22 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

23     Sec. 6. AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION.

24     1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
25 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the  
26 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022,  
27 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
28 used for the purposes designated:

29     For purposes of allocating moneys to an Iowa association  
30 affiliated with a national organization which promotes  
31 agricultural education providing for future farmers:

32 ..... \$       25,000

33     2. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in  
34 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the  
35 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain

1 available to be used for the purposes designated until the  
2 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

3     Sec. 7. FOREIGN ANIMAL DISEASES AFFLICTING LIVESTOCK.

4 There is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the  
5 department of agriculture and land stewardship for the fiscal  
6 year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the  
7 following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
8 used for the purposes designated:

9     For deposit in the foreign animal disease preparedness and  
10 response fund created in [section 163.3B](#):

11 ..... \$ 1,000,000

12     Sec. 8. FARMERS WITH DISABILITIES PROGRAM.

13     1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
14 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the  
15 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022,  
16 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
17 used for the purposes designated:

18     For purposes of supporting a program for farmers with  
19 disabilities:

20 ..... \$ 180,000

21     2. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used for  
22 the public purpose of providing a grant to a national nonprofit  
23 organization with over 80 years of experience in assisting  
24 children and adults with disabilities and special needs. The  
25 moneys shall be used to support a nationally recognized program  
26 that began in 1986 and has been replicated in at least 30 other  
27 states, but which is not available through any other entity  
28 in this state, and that provides assistance to farmers with  
29 disabilities in all 99 counties to allow the farmers to remain  
30 in their own homes and be gainfully engaged in farming through  
31 provision of agricultural worksite and home modification  
32 consultations, peer support services, services to families,  
33 information and referral, and equipment loan services.

34     3. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in  
35 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the

1 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain  
2 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the  
3 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

4     Sec. 9. LOESS HILLS DEVELOPMENT AND CONSERVATION FUND —  
5 HUNGRY CANYONS ACCOUNT.

6     1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
7 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the  
8 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022,  
9 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
10 used for the purposes designated:

11     For deposit in the hungry canyons account of the loess hills  
12 development and conservation fund created pursuant to section  
13 161D.2:

14 ..... \$       50,000

15     2. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated to  
16 the hungry canyons account as provided in subsection 1 may be  
17 used for administrative costs.

18     Sec. 10. GRAIN REGULATION. There is appropriated from the  
19 general fund of the state to the department of agriculture  
20 and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1,  
21 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following amount, or so  
22 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes  
23 designated:

24     For the administration and enforcement of chapters 203  
25 and 203C, including salaries, support, maintenance, and  
26 miscellaneous purposes:

27 ..... \$       350,000

28     Sec. 11. VALUE ADDED AGRICULTURE GRANT PROGRAM. There  
29 is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the  
30 department of agriculture and land stewardship for the fiscal  
31 year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the  
32 following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
33 used for the purposes designated:

34     For the administration and execution of a value added  
35 agriculture grant program to identify, evaluate, and support

1 programs and services which add value to agriculture products,  
2 enable new technology, and support marketing strategies:  
3 ..... \$ 500,000

4 DIVISION II

5 GENERAL FUND

6 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP

7 WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE

8 Sec. 12. WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE — GENERAL.

9 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
10 to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the  
11 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022,  
12 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
13 used for the purposes designated:

14 For deposit in the water quality initiative fund created in  
15 section 466B.45, for purposes of supporting the water quality  
16 initiative administered by the division of soil conservation  
17 and water quality as provided in [section 466B.42](#), including  
18 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:  
19 ..... \$ 3,000,000

20 2. a. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be  
21 used to support projects in subwatersheds as designated by the  
22 division that are part of high-priority watersheds identified  
23 by the water resources coordinating council established  
24 pursuant to [section 466B.3](#).

25 b. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used to  
26 support projects in watersheds generally, including regional  
27 watersheds, as designated by the division and high-priority  
28 watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating  
29 council established pursuant to section 466B.3.

30 3. In supporting projects in subwatersheds and watersheds  
31 as provided in subsection 2, all of the following shall apply:

32 a. The demonstration projects shall utilize water quality  
33 practices as described in the Iowa nutrient reduction strategy  
34 as defined in [section 455B.171](#).

35 b. The division shall implement demonstration projects as

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1 provided in paragraph "a" by providing for participation by  
2 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used in  
3 farming. To every extent practical, the division shall provide  
4 for collaborative participation by such persons who hold a  
5 legal interest in agricultural land located within the same  
6 subwatershed.

7 c. The division shall implement a demonstration project on  
8 a cost-share basis as determined by the division. However,  
9 except for edge-of-field practices, the state's share of the  
10 amount shall not exceed 50 percent of the estimated cost of  
11 establishing the practice as determined by the division or  
12 50 percent of the actual cost of establishing the practice,  
13 whichever is less.

14 d. The demonstration projects shall be used to educate other  
15 persons about the feasibility and value of establishing similar  
16 water quality practices. The division shall promote field day  
17 events for purposes of allowing interested persons to establish  
18 water quality practices on their agricultural land.

19 e. The division shall conduct water quality evaluations  
20 within supported subwatersheds. Within a reasonable period  
21 after accumulating information from such evaluations, the  
22 division shall create an aggregated database of water quality  
23 practices. Any information identifying a person holding a  
24 legal interest in agricultural land or specific agricultural  
25 land shall be a confidential record under [section 22.7](#).

26 4. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used  
27 to support education and outreach in a manner that encourages  
28 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used for  
29 farming to implement water quality practices, including the  
30 establishment of such practices in watersheds generally, and  
31 not limited to subwatersheds or high-priority watersheds.

32 5. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used  
33 to contract with persons to coordinate the implementation of  
34 efforts provided in this section.

35 6. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used by

1 the department to support urban soil and water conservation  
2 efforts, which may include but are not limited to management  
3 practices related to bioretention, landscaping, the use of  
4 permeable or pervious pavement, and soil quality restoration.  
5 The moneys shall be allocated on a cost-share basis as provided  
6 in chapter 161A.

7 7. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the  
8 contrary, the department may use moneys appropriated in  
9 subsection 1 to carry out the provisions of this section on a  
10 cost-share basis in combination with other moneys available to  
11 the department from a state or federal source.

12 8. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated in  
13 this section may be used to pay for the costs of administering  
14 and implementing the water quality initiative by the  
15 department's division of soil conservation and water quality as  
16 provided in section 466B.42 and this section.

17 DIVISION III

18 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

19 Sec. 13. GENERAL FUND — DEPARTMENT.

20 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
21 to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year  
22 beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following  
23 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the  
24 purposes designated:

25 For purposes of supporting the department, including its  
26 divisions, for administration, regulation, and programs; for  
27 salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes; and  
28 for not more than the following full-time equivalent positions:  
29 ..... \$ 12,093,066  
30 ..... FTEs 1,145.95

31 2. Of the number of full-time equivalent positions  
32 authorized to the department pursuant to subsection 1, 50.00  
33 full-time equivalent positions shall be allocated by the  
34 department for seasonal employees for purposes of providing  
35 maintenance, upkeep, and sanitary services at state parks.



1 This subsection shall not impact park ranger or park manager  
2 positions within the department.

3 3. The department shall submit a report each quarter of the  
4 fiscal year to the legislative services agency, the department  
5 of management, the members of the joint appropriations  
6 subcommittee on agriculture and natural resources, and the  
7 chairpersons and ranking members of the senate and house  
8 committees on appropriations. The report shall describe in  
9 detail the expenditure of moneys appropriated under this  
10 section to support the department's administration, regulation,  
11 and programs.

12 Sec. 14. STATE FISH AND GAME PROTECTION FUND — REGULATION  
13 AND ADVANCEMENT OF OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES.

14 1. There is appropriated from the state fish and game  
15 protection fund created pursuant to section 456A.17 to the  
16 department of natural resources for the fiscal year beginning  
17 July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following amount,  
18 or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes  
19 designated:

20 For purposes of supporting the regulation or advancement of  
21 hunting, fishing, or trapping, or the protection, propagation,  
22 restoration, management, or harvest of fish or wildlife,  
23 including for administration, regulation, law enforcement, and  
24 programs; and for salaries, support, maintenance, equipment,  
25 and miscellaneous purposes:

26 ..... \$ 46,273,501

27 2. Notwithstanding [section 455A.10](#), the department may use  
28 the unappropriated balance remaining in the state fish and game  
29 protection fund to provide for the funding of health and life  
30 insurance premium payments from unused sick leave balances of  
31 conservation peace officers employed in a protection occupation  
32 who retire, pursuant to [section 97B.49B](#).

33 3. Notwithstanding [section 455A.10](#), the department of  
34 natural resources may use the unappropriated balance remaining  
35 in the state fish and game protection fund for the fiscal

1 year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, as is  
2 necessary to fund salary adjustments for departmental employees  
3 for which the general assembly has made an operating budget  
4 appropriation in subsection 1.

5     Sec. 15. GROUNDWATER PROTECTION FUND — WATER  
6 QUALITY. There is appropriated from the groundwater protection  
7 fund created in [section 455E.11](#) to the department of natural  
8 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021,  
9 and ending June 30, 2022, from those moneys which are not  
10 allocated pursuant to that section, the following amount, or  
11 so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes  
12 designated:

13     For purposes of supporting the department's protection  
14 of the state's groundwater, including for administration,  
15 regulation, and programs, and for salaries, support,  
16 maintenance, equipment, and miscellaneous purposes:

17 ..... \$ 3,455,850

18                     DESIGNATED APPROPRIATIONS

19                     MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS

20     Sec. 16. SPECIAL SNOWMOBILE FUND — SNOWMOBILE  
21 PROGRAM. There is appropriated from the special snowmobile  
22 fund created under [section 321G.7](#) to the department of natural  
23 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and  
24 ending June 30, 2022, the following amount, or so much thereof  
25 as is necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:

26     For purposes of administering and enforcing the state  
27 snowmobile programs:

28 ..... \$ 100,000

29     Sec. 17. UNASSIGNED REVENUE FUND — UNDERGROUND STORAGE  
30 TANKS SECTION EXPENSES. There is appropriated from the  
31 unassigned revenue fund administered by the Iowa comprehensive  
32 petroleum underground storage tank fund board established  
33 pursuant to [section 455G.4](#) to the department of natural  
34 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and  
35 ending June 30, 2022, the following amount, or so much thereof

1 as is necessary, to be used for the purpose designated:

2 For purposes of paying for administration expenses of the  
3 department's underground storage tanks section:

4 ..... \$ 200,000

5 SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

6 GENERAL FUND

7 Sec. 18. FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT AND DAM SAFETY.

8 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
9 to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year  
10 beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following  
11 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the  
12 purpose designated:

13 For purposes of supporting floodplain management and dam  
14 safety:

15 ..... \$ 1,510,000

16 2. Of the amount appropriated in subsection 1, up to  
17 \$400,000 may be used by the department to acquire or install  
18 stream gages for purposes of tracking and predicting flood  
19 events and for compiling necessary data to improve flood  
20 frequency analysis.

21 3. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in  
22 subsection 1 that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the  
23 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain  
24 available for expenditure for the purposes designated until the  
25 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

26 Sec. 19. FORESTRY HEALTH MANAGEMENT.

27 1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
28 to the department of natural resources for the fiscal year  
29 beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following  
30 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the  
31 purposes designated:

32 For purposes of providing for forestry health management  
33 programs:

34 ..... \$ 500,000

35 2. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated in

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1 this section that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the  
2 close of the fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain  
3 available to be used for the purposes designated until the  
4 close of the succeeding fiscal year.

5     Sec. 20. STATE PARK OPERATIONS. There is appropriated from  
6 the general fund of the state to the department of natural  
7 resources for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and  
8 ending June 30, 2022, the following amount, or so much thereof  
9 as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

10     For supporting operations at state parks, including  
11 maintenance and repair of grounds and facilities:

12 ..... \$ 1,000,000

13                                   MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

14     Sec. 21. VISITOR PARKING AT STATE PARKS — STUDY. The  
15 department of natural resources shall conduct a study of the  
16 availability of visitor parking at state parks. The department  
17 shall identify any inadequacy in the availability of visitor  
18 parking at each state park during periods of high use. The  
19 department shall prepare a report which shall identify each  
20 state park that fails to provide adequate visitor parking and  
21 a recommendation to improve that state park to accommodate  
22 existing or expected visitor parking. The department shall  
23 submit the report to the governor and general assembly not  
24 later than December 10, 2021.

25                                   DIVISION IV

26                                   IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

27                                   SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS

28     Sec. 22. VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY.

29     1. There is appropriated from the general fund of the state  
30 to Iowa state university of science and technology for the  
31 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022,  
32 the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
33 used for the purposes designated:

34     For purposes of supporting the college of veterinary  
35 medicine for the operation of the veterinary diagnostic

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1 laboratory and for not more than the following full-time  
2 equivalent positions:  
3 ..... \$ 4,400,000  
4 ..... FTEs 51.00

5 2. a. Iowa state university of science and technology  
6 shall not reduce the amount that it allocates to support the  
7 college of veterinary medicine from any other source due to the  
8 appropriation made in this section.

9 b. Paragraph "a" does not apply to a reduction made to  
10 support the college of veterinary medicine, if the same  
11 percentage of reduction imposed on the college of veterinary  
12 medicine is also imposed on all of Iowa state university of  
13 science and technology's budget units.

14 3. If by June 30, 2022, Iowa state university of science and  
15 technology fails to allocate the moneys appropriated in this  
16 section to the college of veterinary medicine in accordance  
17 with this section, the moneys appropriated in this section for  
18 that fiscal year shall revert to the general fund of the state.

19 Sec. 23. LIVESTOCK DISEASE RESEARCH. There is appropriated  
20 from the general fund of the state to Iowa state university  
21 of science and technology for the fiscal year beginning July  
22 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following amount, or  
23 so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes  
24 designated:

25 1. For deposit in the livestock disease research fund  
26 created in section 267.8:

27 ..... \$ 170,390

28 2. Moneys appropriated to the fund under subsection 1 shall  
29 be used by Iowa state university of science and technology  
30 to support animal disease research in areas of importance to  
31 livestock producers.

32 Sec. 24. NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AGENTS  
33 — NATIONAL MEETING. There is appropriated from the general  
34 fund of the state to Iowa state university of science and  
35 technology for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and

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1 ending June 30, 2022, the following amount, or so much thereof  
2 as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:  
3 ..... \$ 25,000  
4 For supporting efforts of the Iowa agricultural extension  
5 association relating to the state's hosting of the national  
6 association of county agricultural agents 2023 national  
7 meeting.

8 DIVISION V  
9 STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA  
10 SPECIAL GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATION  
11 AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

12 Sec. 25. IOWA'S CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH  
13 (I-CASH). There is appropriated from the general fund of the  
14 state to the state university of Iowa for the fiscal year  
15 beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following  
16 amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the  
17 purposes designated:

18 1. a. For supporting the operations of Iowa's center for  
19 agricultural safety and health, as part of the university's  
20 college of public health, and in cooperation with the  
21 department of agriculture and land stewardship, to anticipate,  
22 recognize, and prevent occupational illness and injury among  
23 members of the agricultural community:  
24 ..... \$ 128,154

25 b. As a condition of the appropriation made in paragraph  
26 "a", the state university of Iowa shall retain the director  
27 of Iowa's center for agricultural safety and health employed  
28 on the effective date of this division of this Act for at  
29 least the same number of hours for the fiscal year beginning  
30 July 1, 2021, as worked by the director during the fiscal year  
31 beginning July 1, 2020.

32 c. As a condition of the appropriation made in paragraph  
33 "a", the state university of Iowa shall not reduce the amount  
34 allocated to support Iowa's center for agricultural safety from  
35 any other source due to the appropriation made in paragraph

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1 "a".

2 d. If by June 30, 2022, the state university of Iowa fails  
3 to use the moneys appropriated in paragraph "a" in accordance  
4 with the purposes and conditions of this subsection, any  
5 unencumbered and unobligated moneys appropriated in paragraph  
6 "a" for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending  
7 June 30, 2022, shall revert to the general fund of the state.  
8 In addition, if moneys are required to be reverted pursuant  
9 to section 8.33, the state university of Iowa shall transfer  
10 to the general fund from any otherwise unencumbered and  
11 unobligated moneys from any other general fund appropriation or  
12 from any moneys available from other funding sources an amount  
13 equal to the amount appropriated in paragraph "a" less any  
14 amount reverted to the general fund of the state pursuant to  
15 section 8.33.

16 2. a. For supporting a program to finance the upgrade  
17 of agricultural tractors by installing roll over protective  
18 structures:

19 ..... \$ 75,000

20 b. The moneys appropriated in paragraph "a" shall be  
21 expended in the form of cost-share grants requiring that each  
22 dollar contributed by the state university of Iowa be matched  
23 on a dollar-for-dollar basis by agricultural manufacturers or  
24 dealers.

25 DIVISION VI  
26 ENVIRONMENT FIRST FUND  
27 GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS

28 Sec. 26. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND LAND  
29 STEWARDSHIP. There is appropriated from the environment first  
30 fund created in [section 8.57A](#) to the department of agriculture  
31 and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1,  
32 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following amounts, or so  
33 much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes  
34 designated:

35 1. CONSERVATION RESERVE ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM (CREP)

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1     a. For the conservation reserve enhancement program to  
2 restore and construct wetlands for the purposes of intercepting  
3 tile line runoff, reducing nutrient loss, improving water  
4 quality, and enhancing agricultural production practices:  
5 ..... \$ 1,000,000

6     b. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated  
7 in paragraph "a" may be used for costs of administration and  
8 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

9     c. Notwithstanding any other provision in law, the  
10 department may use moneys appropriated in this subsection,  
11 in combination with other appropriate environment first  
12 fund appropriations, for cost sharing to match United States  
13 department of agriculture, natural resources conservation  
14 service, wetlands reserve enhancement program (WREP) funding  
15 available to Iowa.

16     2. WATERSHED PROTECTION

17     a. For continuation of a program that provides  
18 multiobjective resource protections for flood control, water  
19 quality, erosion control, and natural resource conservation:  
20 ..... \$ 900,000

21     b. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated  
22 in paragraph "a" may be used for costs of administration and  
23 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

24     3. CONSERVATION RESERVE PROGRAM (CRP)

25     a. To encourage and assist farmers in enrolling in and the  
26 implementation of the federal conservation reserve program and  
27 to work with them to enhance their revegetation efforts to  
28 improve water quality and habitat:

29 ..... \$ 900,000

30     b. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated  
31 in paragraph "a" may be used for costs of administration and  
32 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

33     4. SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION

34     a. For use by the department in providing for soil and water  
35 conservation:



1 ..... \$ 8,325,000  
2 b. (1) Of the amount appropriated in paragraph "a", for  
3 transfer to the loess hills development and conservation fund  
4 created in section 161D.2:  
5 ..... \$ 490,000  
6 (2) (a) Of the amount transferred to the loess hills  
7 development and conservation fund in subparagraph (1), \$450,000  
8 shall be allocated to the fund's hungry canyons account.  
9 (b) Not more than 10 percent of the moneys allocated to  
10 the fund's hungry canyons account as provided in subparagraph  
11 division (a) may be used for administrative costs.  
12 (3) (a) Of the amount transferred to the loess hills  
13 development and conservation fund in subparagraph (1), \$40,000  
14 shall be allocated to the fund's loess hills alliance account.  
15 (b) Not more than 10 percent of the moneys allocated to the  
16 fund's loess hills alliance account as provided in subparagraph  
17 division (a) may be used for administrative costs.  
18 c. Of the remaining amount appropriated in paragraph "a",  
19 for use by the department in providing for soil and water  
20 conservation administration, the conservation of soil and  
21 water resources, or the support of soil and water conservation  
22 districts:  
23 ..... \$ 7,835,000  
24 d. Of the amount appropriated in paragraph "c" that the  
25 department allocates to a soil and water conservation district,  
26 the first \$15,000 may be expended by the district for the  
27 purpose of providing financial incentives under section 161A.73  
28 to establish management practices for the control of soil  
29 erosion on land that is row-cropped, including but not limited  
30 to nontill planting, ridge-till planting, and contouring  
31 strip-cropping. Of any remaining amount of that appropriation  
32 allocated by the department to a district, 30 percent may be  
33 expended by the district for that same purpose.  
34 e. Not more than 5 percent of the moneys appropriated in  
35 paragraph "c" may be allocated for cost sharing to address

1 complaints filed under [section 161A.47](#).

2 f. Of the moneys appropriated in paragraph "c", 5 percent  
3 shall be allocated for financial incentives to establish  
4 practices to protect watersheds above publicly owned lakes of  
5 the state from soil erosion and sediment as provided in section  
6 161A.73.

7 g. The state soil conservation and water quality committee  
8 established by [section 161A.4](#) may allocate moneys appropriated  
9 in paragraph "c" to conduct research and demonstration projects  
10 to promote conservation tillage and nonpoint source pollution  
11 control practices.

12 h. The allocation of moneys as financial incentives as  
13 provided in [section 161A.73](#) may be used in combination with  
14 moneys allocated by the department of natural resources.

15 i. Not more than 15 percent of the moneys appropriated  
16 in paragraph "c" may be used for costs of administration and  
17 implementation of soil and water conservation practices.

18 5. SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION — ADMINISTRATION

19 a. For use by the department for costs of administration and  
20 implementation of soil and water conservation practices:

21 ..... \$ 3,800,000

22 b. Of the moneys appropriated in paragraph "a", \$150,000  
23 is allocated to support field staff providing technical  
24 assistance.

25 Sec. 27. DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES. There is  
26 appropriated from the environment first fund created in section  
27 8.57A to the department of natural resources for the fiscal  
28 year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the  
29 following amounts, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be  
30 used for the purposes designated:

31 1. STATE PARKS MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS

32 For regular maintenance and operations of state parks and  
33 staff time associated with these activities:

34 ..... \$ 6,235,000

35 2. GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM (GIS)

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1 To provide local watershed managers with geographic  
2 information system data for their use in developing,  
3 monitoring, and displaying results of their watershed work:  
4 ..... \$ 195,000

5 3. WATER QUALITY MONITORING  
6 For continuing the establishment and operation of water  
7 quality monitoring stations:  
8 ..... \$ 2,955,000

9 4. PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM ACCOUNT  
10 For deposit in the public water supply system account of the  
11 water quality protection fund created in [section 455B.183A](#):  
12 ..... \$ 500,000

13 5. REGULATION OF ANIMAL FEEDING OPERATIONS  
14 For the regulation of animal feeding operations, including  
15 as provided for in [chapters 459, 459A, and 459B](#):  
16 ..... \$ 1,320,000

17 6. AMBIENT AIR QUALITY  
18 For the abatement, control, and prevention of ambient  
19 air pollution in this state, including measures as necessary  
20 to assure attainment and maintenance of ambient air quality  
21 standards from particulate matter:  
22 ..... \$ 425,000

23 7. FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT AND DAM SAFETY  
24 For supporting floodplain management and dam safety:  
25 ..... \$ 375,000

26 Sec. 28. STATE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA — IOWA GEOLOGICAL  
27 SURVEY. There is appropriated from the environment first  
28 fund created in [section 8.57A](#) to the state university of Iowa  
29 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June  
30 30, 2022, the following amounts, or so much thereof as is  
31 necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

32 1. OPERATIONS  
33 For purposes of supporting the operations of the Iowa  
34 geological survey of the state as created within the state  
35 university of Iowa pursuant to [section 456.1](#), including but not

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1 limited to providing analysis; data maintenance, collection,  
2 and compilation; investigative programs; and information for  
3 water supply development and protection:  
4 ..... \$ 200,000

5 2. WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

6 For purposes of supporting the Iowa geological survey in  
7 measuring, assessing, and evaluating the quantity of water  
8 sources in this state and assisting the department of natural  
9 resources in regulating water quantity as provided in chapter  
10 455B, division III, part 4, pursuant to [sections 455B.262B](#) and  
11 456.14:  
12 ..... \$ 495,000

13 Sec. 29. REVERSION.

14 1. a. Except as provided in paragraph “b”, and  
15 notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated for the  
16 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, in this division of this  
17 Act that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the  
18 fiscal year shall not revert but instead shall remain available  
19 to be used for the purposes designated until the close of the  
20 succeeding fiscal year, or until the project for which the  
21 appropriation was made is completed, whichever is earlier.

22 b. Notwithstanding [section 8.33](#), moneys appropriated for  
23 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, in this division of  
24 this Act to the department of agriculture and land stewardship  
25 to provide financial assistance for the establishment of  
26 permanent soil and water conservation practices that remain  
27 unencumbered or unobligated at the close of the fiscal year  
28 shall not revert but instead shall remain available for  
29 expenditure for the purposes designated until the close of the  
30 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024.

31 2. Subsection 1 does not apply to moneys transferred  
32 pursuant to this division of this Act to the loess hills  
33 development and conservation fund created in [section 161D.2](#)  
34 which shall not revert as provided in that section.

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ENVIRONMENT FIRST FUND  
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 30. WATER QUALITY INITIATIVE — DEPARTMENT OF  
AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP.

1. There is appropriated from the environment first fund created in section 8.57A to the department of agriculture and land stewardship for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2022, the following amount, or so much thereof as is necessary, to be used for the purposes designated:

For deposit in the water quality initiative fund created in section 466B.45, for purposes of supporting the water quality initiative administered by the division of soil conservation and water quality as provided in [section 466B.42](#), including salaries, support, maintenance, and miscellaneous purposes:  
..... \$ 2,375,000

2. a. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used to support projects in subwatersheds as designated by the division that are part of high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council established pursuant to [section 466B.3](#).

b. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used to support projects in watersheds generally, including regional watersheds, as designated by the division and high-priority watersheds identified by the water resources coordinating council established pursuant to section 466B.3.

3. In supporting projects in subwatersheds and watersheds as provided in subsection 2, all of the following shall apply:

a. The demonstration projects shall utilize water quality practices as described in the Iowa nutrient reduction strategy as defined in [section 455B.171](#).

b. The division shall implement demonstration projects as provided in paragraph "a" by providing for participation by persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used in farming. To every extent practical, the division shall provide

1 for collaborative participation by such persons who hold a  
2 legal interest in agricultural land located within the same  
3 subwatershed.

4 c. The division shall implement a demonstration project on  
5 a cost-share basis as determined by the division. However,  
6 except for edge-of-field practices, the state's share of the  
7 amount shall not exceed 50 percent of the estimated cost of  
8 establishing the practice as determined by the division or  
9 50 percent of the actual cost of establishing the practice,  
10 whichever is less.

11 d. The demonstration projects shall be used to educate other  
12 persons about the feasibility and value of establishing similar  
13 water quality practices. The division shall promote field day  
14 events for purposes of allowing interested persons to establish  
15 water quality practices on their agricultural land.

16 e. The division shall conduct water quality evaluations  
17 within supported subwatersheds. Within a reasonable period  
18 after accumulating information from such evaluations, the  
19 division shall create an aggregated database of water quality  
20 practices. Any information identifying a person holding a  
21 legal interest in agricultural land or specific agricultural  
22 land shall be a confidential record under [section 22.7](#).

23 4. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 shall be used  
24 to support education and outreach in a manner that encourages  
25 persons who hold a legal interest in agricultural land used for  
26 farming to implement water quality practices, including the  
27 establishment of such practices in watersheds generally, and  
28 not limited to subwatersheds or high-priority watersheds.

29 5. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used  
30 to contract with persons to coordinate the implementation of  
31 efforts provided in this section.

32 6. The moneys appropriated in subsection 1 may be used by  
33 the department to support urban soil and water conservation  
34 efforts, which may include but are not limited to management  
35 practices related to bioretention, landscaping, the use of

1 permeable or pervious pavement, and soil quality restoration.  
2 The moneys shall be allocated on a cost-share basis as provided  
3 in chapter 161A.

4 7. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the  
5 contrary, the department may use moneys appropriated in  
6 subsection 1 to carry out the provisions of this section on a  
7 cost-share basis in combination with other moneys available to  
8 the department from a state or federal source.

9 8. Not more than 10 percent of the moneys appropriated in  
10 this section may be used to pay for the costs of administering  
11 and implementing the water quality initiative by the  
12 department's division of soil conservation and water quality as  
13 provided in section 466B.42 and this section.

14 DIVISION VIII

15 IOWA RESOURCES ENHANCEMENT AND PROTECTION FUND

16 Sec. 31. REAP — IN LIEU OF GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATION. In  
17 lieu of the standing appropriation in [section 455A.18](#), there is  
18 appropriated from the environment first fund created in section  
19 8.57A to the Iowa resources enhancement and protection fund  
20 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June  
21 30, 2022, the following amount, to be allocated as provided in  
22 section 455A.19:

23 ..... \$ 12,000,000

24 Sec. 32. REAP — OPEN SPACES ACCOUNT — STATE PARK  
25 MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR. Notwithstanding section 455A.19,  
26 subsection 1, paragraph "a", subparagraph (1), of the moneys  
27 allocated to the open spaces account of the Iowa resources  
28 enhancement and protection fund, up to \$1,000,000 may be  
29 used by the department of natural resources for state park  
30 maintenance and repair for the fiscal year beginning July 1,  
31 2021, and ending on June 30, 2022.

32 DIVISION IX

33 CODE CHANGES

34 Sec. 33. Section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph f,  
35 subparagraph (1), subparagraph division (c), subparagraph

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1 subdivision (i), Code 2021, is amended to read as follows:

2 (i) For each fiscal year of the period beginning July  
3 1, 2020, and ending June 30, ~~2029~~ 2039, of the wagering tax  
4 receipts received pursuant to sections 99D.17 and 99F.11, the  
5 next fifteen million dollars shall be deposited in the water  
6 quality infrastructure fund created in section 8.57B.

7 Sec. 34. Section 8.57, subsection 5, paragraph f,  
8 subparagraph (1), subparagraph division (c), subparagraph  
9 subdivision (ii), subparagraph part (B), Code 2021, is amended  
10 to read as follows:

11 (B) On July 1, ~~2029~~ 2039.

12 Sec. 35. Section 16.134, Code 2021, is amended by adding the  
13 following new subsection:

14 NEW SUBSECTION. 5A. A regional water association comprised  
15 of entities that serve regional water and wastewater systems  
16 shall be considered eligible for financial assistance in the  
17 form of grants or loans under the program for purposes of  
18 supporting the planning and forecasting of wastewater treatment  
19 facilities and systems and drinking water treatment facilities  
20 and systems.

21 Sec. 36. NEW SECTION. 159A.17 Appropriation.

22 For the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2021, and ending  
23 June 30, 2022, and for each fiscal year thereafter, there  
24 is appropriated from the general fund of the state to the  
25 renewable fuel infrastructure fund created in section 159A.16  
26 the amount of eleven million dollars.

27 Sec. 37. Section 16.134A, subsection 2, paragraph a,  
28 subparagraph (2), Code 2021, is amended to read as follows:

29 (2) This paragraph "a" is repealed on January 1, ~~2030~~ 2040.

30 Sec. 38. Section 16.134A, subsection 3, unnumbered  
31 paragraph 1, Code 2021, is amended to read as follows:

32 For each fiscal year in the period beginning July 1,  
33 2018, and ending June 30, ~~2029~~ 2039, there is appropriated  
34 the following percentages of the balance of the fund for the  
35 following purposes:



1     Sec. 39. Section 423G.7, subsection 2, Code 2021, is amended  
2 to read as follows:

3     2. July 1, ~~2029~~ 2039.

4     Sec. 40. Section 455A.18, subsection 3, paragraph a, Code  
5 2021, is amended to read as follows:

6     a. For each fiscal year of the fiscal period beginning  
7 July 1, 1997, and ending June 30, ~~2023~~ 2026, there is  
8 appropriated from the general fund, to the Iowa resources  
9 enhancement and protection fund, the amount of twenty million  
10 dollars, to be used as provided in this chapter. However,  
11 in any fiscal year of the fiscal period, if moneys from the  
12 lottery are appropriated by the state to the fund, the amount  
13 appropriated under this subsection shall be reduced by the  
14 amount appropriated from the lottery.

15     Sec. 41. CONTINGENT EFFECTIVE DATE. The section of this  
16 division of this Act enacting section 159A.17 takes effect  
17 upon the enactment of 2021 Iowa Acts, Senate File 549 or its  
18 successor, if enacted, or House File 859 or its successor, if  
19 enacted.>

20     2. Title page, by striking lines 1 through 4 and  
21 inserting <An Act relating to and making appropriations  
22 and related statutory changes involving state government  
23 entities involved with agriculture, natural resources, and  
24 environmental protection, and providing contingent effective  
25 date provisions.>

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